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For: PREPARATION AND COMPOSITION OF

INTER-ALPHA INHIBITOR PROTEINS

FROM HUMAN PLASMA FOR

THERAPEUTIC USE

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## **AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.312**

MS Issue Fee Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Applicants are in receipt of the Notice of Allowance mailed on December 10, 2010. Applicants file this amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.312 concurrently with an Issue Fee Transmittal and related papers. Prior to issuance of the patent, applicant respectfully requests entry of this Rule 312 Amendment for the above-captioned patent application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.